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Rosella Sauerwald—Editor

Millard Wolfgang—Business Manager

# The Sparkler
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# Foreword

In this, the eighth volume of The Sparkler, the staff attempts to provide classmates and friends with a record of the Class of 1937 at North York High School. It is hoped that the content of this book will prove not only of present but also of lasting interest.

Because of its influence on modern life and education, radio has been used as the art theme.

# Dedication

It is with highest respect and gratitude that the Class of 1937 dedicates this edition of The Sparkler to Robert E. Everhart, teacher and friend.

Robert E. Everhart

Robert E. Everhart

Wilson Building

Playground Auditorium

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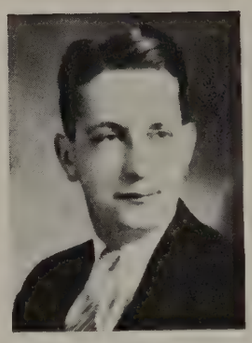

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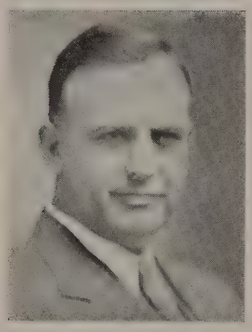
Laura Burket



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C. S. Gunnett

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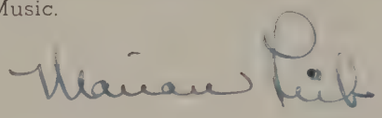

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Studied at the University of Pennsylvania; has taught at Lower Alsace Public Schools, Lower Alsace, Pa., and at Mohnton Public Schools, Mohnton, Pa.; is Dental Hygienist.

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# SENIORS

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**Dorcas Bahn** — *Commercial*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, President . 3, 4
Librarian . . . . . 3, 4

**Ruth Bair** — *General*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, President . 3, 4
Glee Club . . . . . 4
Operetta . . . . . 4
Sparkler . . . . . 4

**Ethel Bear** — *Commercial*

Clubs—Mathematics, President 2,
Dramatic . . . . . 4
Glee Club . . . . . 2, 3, 4
Operetta . . . . . 1, 2, 3, 4
Office Officer—Secretary . . . 3

**Arlene Bentzel** — *Commercial*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, Dramatic . 3, 4

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**Grant Bier** — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Booster | 2 |
| Glee Club | 3, 4 |
| Basketball | 1, 2 |

**Isabel Brehm** — *Classical*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, Dramatic | 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |
| School News | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Librarian | 3, 4 |

Isabel Brehm

**Rosalie Chapman** — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, Dramatic 3, Mathematics, Secretary | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3 |

Rosalie Chapman

**Glenn Charleston** — *Commercial*

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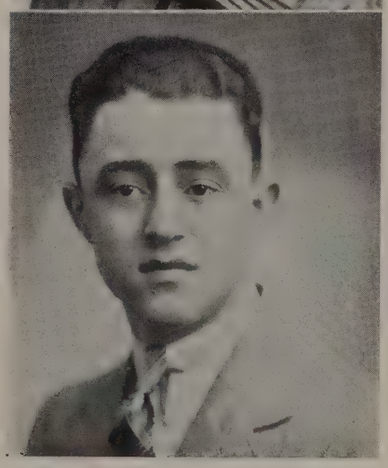
| Glee Club | 2, 4 |
| Orchestra | 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball | 3, 4 |



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**Grace Crone** *General*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, Library . 3, 4
Librarian . . . . . 3, 4

**Charles Dittenhafer** *Commercial*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, Booster . 4
Baseball . . . . . 4

**Glenn Fink** *General*

K. Glenn Fink

**Glenn Frantz** *General*

Clubs—Science 2, 3, Mathematics . 4
Glee Club . . . . . 2, 3, 4
Class Plays . . . . . 3, 4
Operetta . . . . . 1, 2, 3, 4
Track . . . . . 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Officer—Vice President . . 2

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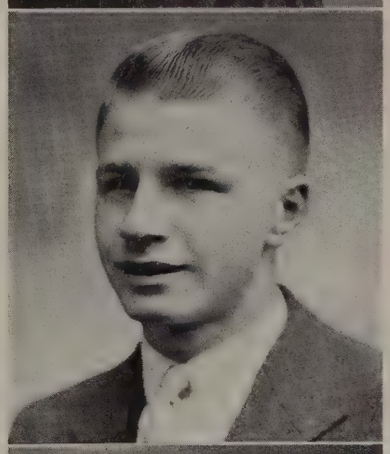
**Mary Hamme** — *General*

Clubs—Mathematics 2, Library . 3, 4

**Mildred Herman** — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, Dramatic | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |



**Pearson Hinkle** — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Booster | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |

**Edna Hoffman** — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Library 2, Dramatic | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Officer—Treasurer | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| School News | 1, 2 |
| Sparkler | 4 |

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## Romaine Hoffman — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, 3, Dramatic | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, President | 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Cheer Leader | 3, 4 |
| Class Officer—Secretary | 2 |
| Volley Ball | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| School News 1, 2, Circulation Manager | 3, 4 |
| Sparkler | 2, 4 |

Annabelle Hoover

## Annabelle Hoover — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, Mathematics, Vice President 3, Library | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Librarian | 4 |
| Class Officer—Vice President | 3 |
| School News | 1, 2 |
| Sparkler | 4 |

Gladys Hughes

## Gladys Hughes — *General*

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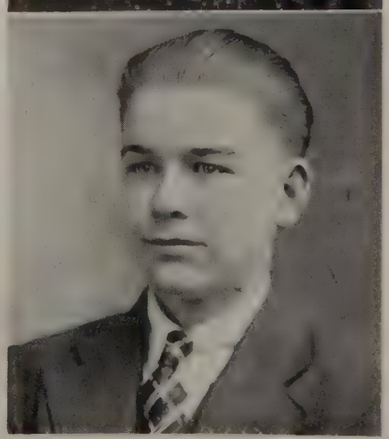
|---|---|
| Clubs—Mathematics 2, Library 3, Dramatic | 1 |



## Earl Jacoby — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Booster | 4 |
| Glee Club | 3 |
| Baseball | 3, 4 |

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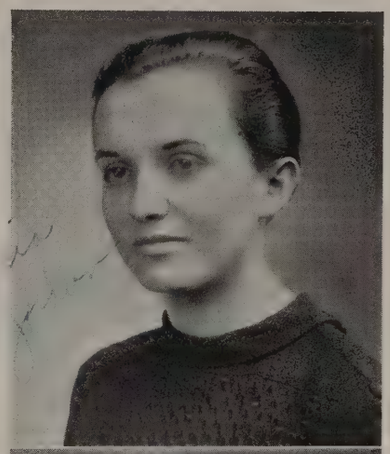
**Lydia Jordan** *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Booster | 3, 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Basketball, 1, 2, 3; Captain | 4 |
| Volley Ball | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Track | 1, 2, 3, 4 |



**Preston Keasey** *Commercial*

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|---|---|
| Track | 4 |

**Doretha Kinports** *Commercial*

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|---|---|
| Clubs—Booster 2, Dramatic 3, President | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Play | 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 2, 3, 4 |
| Cheer Leader | 2, 3, 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |

**Dorothy Kohr** *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Mathematics 2, Dramatic | 4 |
| Glee Club | 4 |
| Operetta | 4 |

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## Phyllis Lehr — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Art 2, Dramatic 3, Vice President | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Basketball | 1, 2 |
| Track | 1, 2 |
| Class Officer—Vice President | 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |
| School News | 1, 2, 3 |

## Philip Little — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| (William Penn) | |
| Track | 2, 3 |
| Basketball | 3 |
| Student Council | 3 |
| (North York) | |
| Basketball | 4 |
| Track | 4 |
| President of Athletic Association | 4 |
| Club—Booster | 4 |

## Glenn Meyers — *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Booster 2, Art 3, Mathematics | 4 |
| Track | 3, 4 |

## Cleo Pfaltzgraff — *Classical*

| | |
|---|---|
| Glee Club | 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |
| Operetta | 4 |

**Edward Price** — *Commercial*

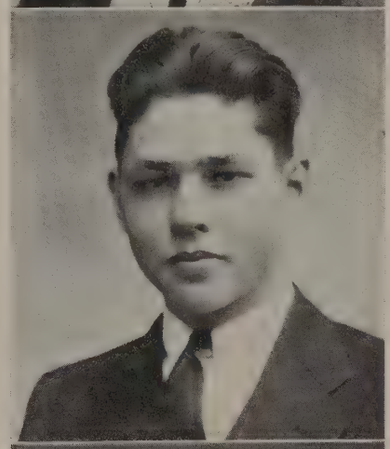
(William Penn)
- Basketball . . . . . 2
- School News . . . . . 2

(North York)
- Basketball . . . . . 3
- Class Plays . . . . . 3, 4
- Club—Dramatic 3, Secretary . . 4
- Baseball . . . . . 3

**Ruth Quickel** — *General*

- Club—Mathematics . . . 2, 3, 4

Ruth Quickel



**James Rishel** — *Classical*

- Clubs—Science 2, 3, Mathematics . 4
- Glee Club . . . . . 2, 3, 4
- Manager of Magazine Campaign . 4
- Operetta . . . . . 2, 3, 4
- Track . . . . . 2, 4
- Sparkler . . . . . 4

**Irvin Rupert** — *Commercial*

- Club—Booster . . . . . 4

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**Rosella Sauerwald** — *General*

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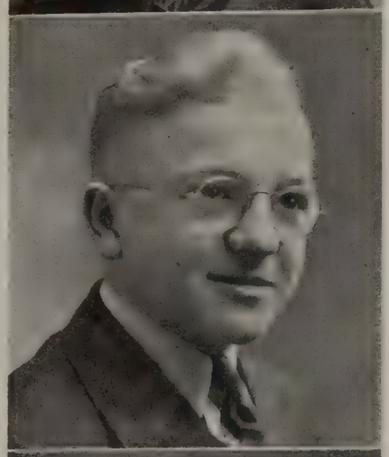
|---|---|
| Club—Mathematics 2, 4, Secretary | 3 |
| Sparkler—Editor-in-Chief | 4 |
| Glee Club | 4 |
| Operetta | 4 |
| Track | 2 |
| School News | 3, 4 |



**Robert Senft** — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Mathematics, Vice President | 2 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Play | 3 |

**Madelyn Sipe** — *General*

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|---|---|
| Club—Library | 2, 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Track | 1, 2 |
| Librarian | 2, 3, 4 |
| School News | 1 |
| Sparkler | 1, 4 |

**Edith Smith** — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 1, 2 |

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## Harriette Smullen — *General*

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|---|---|
| Club—Library | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1 |
| Girl Reserves | 2 |
| Librarian | 3, 4 |

## Harold Snyder — *General*

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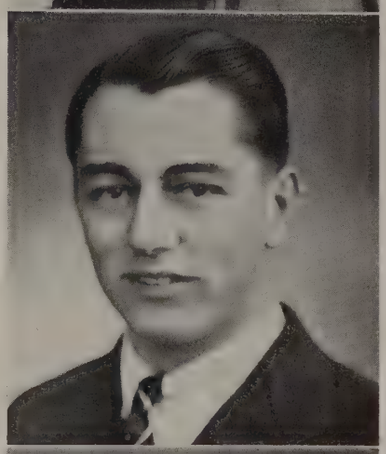
|---|---|
| Club—Booster 2, 3, President | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball | 1, 2, 4 |
| School News | 1, 4 |



## Jay Snyder — *General*

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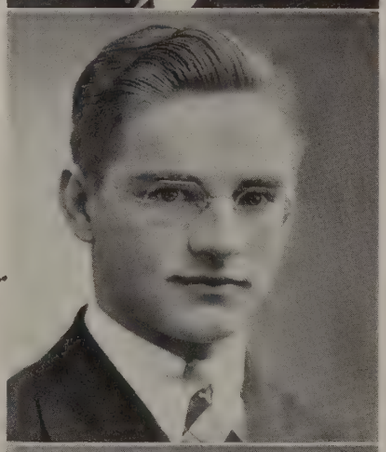
|---|---|
| Club—Booster | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Basketball | 1, 2 |
| Track | 1, 2, 3, 4 |



## Marie Spangler — *Commercial*

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|---|---|
| Club—Library 2, 3, President | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Officer—Secretary | 3, 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |
| Basketball 1, 2, 3, Business Manager | 4 |
| Track | 1, 2, 3 |

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## Anna Sprenkle — *General*

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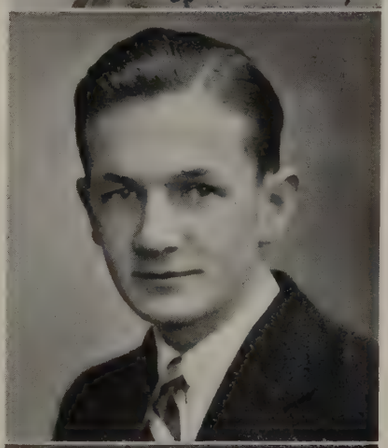
|---|---|
| Club—Mathematics | 3, 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 2, 3, 4 |
| Track | 3 |
| Orchestra | 4 |
| School News | 3, 4 |
| Sparkler—Assistant Editor | 4 |



## Vincent Stare — *Classical*

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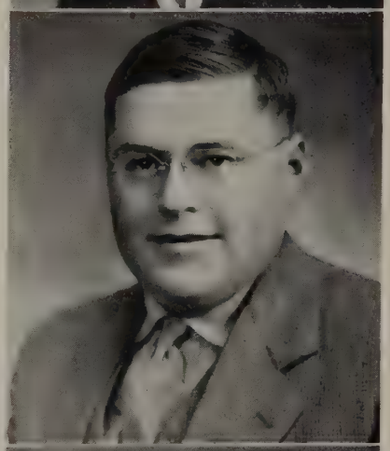
| Club—Science | 2, 3, 4 |
| Glee Club | 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 3 |
| School News | 1, 3, 4 |



## Philip Staub — *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Club—Science | 4 |

## June Strine — *General*

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|---|---|
| Club—Library | 2, 3, 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Girl Reserves | 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Librarian 3, Head Librarian | 4 |
| Class Officer—Secretary 1, Vice President | 2 |
| School News | 1 |
| Sparkler | 4 |

## Millard Wolfgang *Commercial*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Mathematics 2, Booster | 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Play | 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3 |
| Class Officer—Vice President | 3 |
| Business Manager of Sparkler | 4 |
| Business Manager of School News | 4 |

## Elsie Zuse *General*

| | |
|---|---|
| Clubs—Library 2, Dramatic | 3, 4 |
| Glee Club | 2, 3, 4 |
| Operetta | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Plays | 3, 4 |
| Class Officer—President | 1 |
| School News | 1, 2, 4 |
| Sparkler | 4 |
| Librarian | 3 |
| Girl Reserves | 3, 4 |

IN MEMORIAM

Karl William Robert Shire

October 25, 1919—November 11, 1933

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# After Four Years

**A Tragi-comedy in Four Acts**

By Isabel Brehm

**(Dramatis Personae)**

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|---|---|
| Laurel and Hardy—Only one | Philip Staub |
| Nelson Eddy—Everything but the voice | Glenn Frantz |
| Martha Raye—Da da da le da eu da | Annabelle Hoover |
| Janet Gaynor—Elle est petite | Gladys Hughes |
| Robert Taylor—Not in this class! | |
| Lupe Velez—Wahoo! | Lydia Jordan |
| Norma Shearer—Juliet | Rosella Sauerwald |
| The Dionne Quintuplets—'Teen age style | Romaine Hoffman, Madelyn Sipe, Phyllis Lehr, Edna Hoffman, Mildred Herman |
| Errol Flynn—Our Hero! | Philip Little |
| Gary Cooper—"The Plainsman" | James Rishel |
| Katherine Cornell—Broadway Venus | June Strine |
| Kate Smith—Sound your "A" | Ruth Bair |
| Walter Winchell—Knows all—Tells all | Vincent Stare |
| Ben Bernie—Yowsah | Harold Snyder |
| Rex Campbell—Speed away | Millard Wolfgang |
| John Gielgud—Hamlet | Irvin Rupert |
| Benny Goodman—Our "King of Swing!" | Glenn Charleston |
| Simon Simone—Tee Hee Hee | Mildred Herman |
| Ginger Rogers—But where's Fred? | Madelyn Sipe |
| Will Hayes—The chief censor | Mr. Armold |

# JUNIORS

## Juniors

George Glatfelter, President — Herbert Suereth, Vice-President

Janet Gray, Secretary — Dwight Kohr, Treasurer

Colors: Navy Blue and White

Philip Altland
Earl Baer
Harold Boyer
Ruth Brandt
Frank Byers
Romaine Corwell
Hazel Crone
Paul Dittenhafer
Gordon Doll
Dora Frantz
Emma Funk
Kenneth Geesey
Ernest Gingerich
Nelson Gingerich
John Gladfelter
George Glatfelter
Janet Gray
Helen Hake
Ruth Hays
Gladys Heidler
Sara Heindel
Virginia Henry
Howard Hershey
Doris Hildebrand
Frederick Hobaugh
Dorothy Hoffman
Eva Holowka
Miriam Hoover
Edith Kelbaugh
Howard Kerns
Max Klinefelter
Dwight Kohr
Granville Kohr
Walter March
Gladys McComas
Ruby Meyers
Evelyn Miller
Clarence Monk
Janet Pfaltzgraff
Gladys Sauerwald
Mary Olive Shaull
Dwight Smith
Henry Smith
Gladys Snyder
Ralph Snyder
John Stottlemyer
Herbert Suereth
Kathryn Swartz
Llewellyn Swartz
Mary Weaver
Virginia Zarfoss

# Chronicle

Fifty-three juniors assembled in North York High School, September 21, 1936, to elect officers to serve for the Class of '38 during the 1936-37 school term. Those elected were as follows: George Glatfelter, president; Herbert Suereth, vice president; and Janet Gray, secretary. The treasurer, Dwight Kohr, having been elected in the freshman year, serves for a period of four years.

In recognition of the defeat inflicted on the juniors by a superior class, the seniors, in the magazine campaign, the juniors convened October 12 to arrange for a dance and party to be given to the victors. Several special meetings were called to plan the details of this social event, which was held October 16.

The next important meeting was conducted February 16, for the purpose of appointing committees for the annual class play. The chairmen of these committees were: Dwight Smith, advertising committee; Howard Hershey, stage committee; and Gladys Snyder, ushering committee.

"The Street Called Sham," the junior class play, was successfully presented under the direction of Robert E. Everhart, February 26-27.

Pennants, emblems and caps, designed in the class colors, royal blue and white, were distributed early in May to the juniors. The designs on these were fashioned by Granville Kohr, chairman of the pennant committee.

As the school year closes, the present juniors, having completed the third year of high school, are preparing to become future seniors. Thus the march of education goes on in the Class of '38.

—Mary Olive Shaull.

# Our Old High

*Once again, here as school-mates assembled,*
*We fain would lift our hearts in song,*
*To our High School, our dear Alma Mater,*
*Let gladness the moments prolong;*
*We are proud of her lads and her lasses,*
*Of honors won in days gone by,*
*So here's a cheer for our old High School,*
*For our old High School, our dear "Old High."*

*Here's to our classes, here's to our lasses,*
*Here's to the lads they adore;*
*Here's to the Seniors, so mighty,*
*Juniors so flighty, Freshy and Sophomore.*
*Let mirth and gladness banish all sadness,*
*And as the days go by—*
*You'll find us ready, and steady,*
*Boosting for our "Old High!"*

*Soon for us will the school days be ended,*
*The dreams of youth, that fade so fast,*
*But we know that the heart oft will ponder,*
*In mem'ry o'er scenes that are past;*
*There are joys that will long be remembered,*
*And friendships, too, that ne'er can die,*
*Then here's a cheer for our "Old High,"*
*For our old High School, our dear "Old High."*

# SOPHOMORES

## Sophomores

LeRoy Good, President — Joe Stough, Vice-President

Evelyn Throne, Secretary — Olga Landis, Treasurer

Colors: Steel and Blue

Ruth Bahn
Billy Bair
Norma Bear
Robert Bear
Mary Becker
Louise Bentzel
Merle Billet
Paul Boileau
Isabel Boyer
Doris Charleston
Helen Charleston
Ethel Chronister
Mildred Clark
Glenn Cousler
Evelyn Drescher
Mary Dressel
Louise Druck
Geraldine Ehrhart
Clarence Einsig
Clyde Eisenhart
Robert Eshelman
Ruth Eyler
Clair Fry
Ivan Gates
Annabel Gladfelter
LeRoy Good
Kathryn Hamme
Edna Harman
Virginia Heiland
Robert Heistand
Kenneth Hinkle
Martha Hoffman
Myrtle Hoke
Evelyn Hykes
Phyllis Jordan
Dorothy Kann
Pauline Kann
Paul Kauffman
Margaret Kohr
Roy Krebs
Olga Landis
Frances Lehr
Julia Lehr
Margaret Lutzinger
William Melhorn
Elwood Mundis
Glenn Newcomer
William Poet
Charles Rauhauser
Madge Rentzel
Esther Reynolds
Bruce Ruby
Keith Ruby
Betty Rutter
Janet Seiple
Herman Shue
Betty Sipe
Luella Smith
James Snellbaker
Nelson Snyder
William Sollenberger
Mildred Spangler
Joe Stough
Betty Strine
Evelyn Throne
Frances Wherley
Geraldine Whitcomb
Blanche Whitmore
Margaret Wiles
Elwood Witmer
Ruth Witmer
Robert Zeigler
Herman Zirkle

# Chronicle

The Class of 1939 organized for the present year at a meeting held during the activities period on September 23. Those elected were: LeRoy Good, president; Joe Stough, vice president; and Evelyn Throne, secretary. Olga Landis was elected treasurer as a freshman for a four-year term.

As its first social function, the present sophomore class held the annual bazaar on October 16, in the corridors of the Wilson Building. Those who directed the committees for this affair were: Virginia Heiland, entertainment; LeRoy Good, advertisement; and Evelyn Throne, refreshments.

—Evelyn Throne.

# It Can't Happen Here

Gladys Hughes makes more noise than the rest of the seniors together.

Elsie Zuse never has her lessons prepared.

Anna Sprenkle can't play a note—especially on the piano.

Rosella Sauerwald is on a diet—which does not include pretzels.

You'll never find Phyllis Lehr day-dreaming.

People have trouble seeing Mr. Ruby in a crowd.

The same people have to ask Annabelle Hoover what she said, the second time.

Dorcas Bahn never eats candy.

Mrs. Bier fears Grant isn't growing enough.

Earl Jacoby thinks he would like to live on a farm. So different from his city life.

Doretha Kinports wouldn't know the first thing to do when leading a cheer.

Edward Price looks forward to early baldness.

Everyone can spell Cleo Pfaltzgraff's last name.

Isabel Brehm is so dignified she would never think of cracking a joke in Latin class.

A successful ticket sale without Mr. Leber's speeches.

# FRESHMEN

# The Sparkler

## Freshmen

Sherwood Landis, President — Harry Smith, Jr., Vice-President

Dorothy Patterson, Secretary — Eleanor Shelly, Treasurer

Colors: Purple and Gold

Dolores Anstine
Dorothy Baumgardner
Rodney Billett
Rosella Blanc
Arlene Blessing
Robert Boring
Ruth Brothers
Donald Charleston
Janet Dahr
Thomas Davis
Ellen Dittenhafer
Tom Doll
Georgianna Ensminger
Clarence Eppley
Dale Everhart
Paul Everhart
Ruth Fink
Janet Fishel
Louise Fogle
Jean Frantz
Irvin Gardner
William Gates
Paul Gerberick
Anna Mae Gingerich
Geraldine Goodling
Fairy Hamme
William Hartman
Vivian Heidler
Deloris Heilman
Erdine Hess
Gerald Hess
Dale Hinkle
Spurgeon Hoffman
Mary Innerst
Dorothy Kann
Bernard Kauffman
Sherwood Landis
Virginia Lehr
Frances Lighty
Purden Luckenbaugh
Ruth Miller
Anna Mummert
Ruth Mundis
Dorothy Patterson
Jack Peeling
Anna Poe
Leo Poff
Jane Price
Charles Reever
Charlotte Rishel
Louise Rittall
Alfred Rohler
Edna Rohrbaugh
Walter Ross
Eleanor Shelly
Donald Shelley
Okal Shenberger
Vivian Shire
Charles Shue
Lillian Slick
Harry Smith
Ruby Smith
Christine Snydeman
Blaine Snyder
Donald Snyder
Jean Snyder
Harry Sprenkle
Dorothy Stambaugh
Grace Stambaugh
George Stough
Mary Strickhouser
Robert Tyson
Margaret Wallace
Lavern Warren
Shirley Wertz
Jean Wherley
Ruth Winters
Russel Witmer
Evelyn Witmer
Charles Yinger
Helena Zumbrun

# Chronicle

The group of neophytes who were to form the Class of '40, met for the first time as a unit, in the North York High School on September 9, 1936. The group numbered eighty-seven students.

In the first six months of school, very little occurred with exception of the regular school routine.

On the morning of March 8, 1937, the class met in their first scheduled meeting in room 8, for the purpose of forming a class organization.

The first business was the election of class officers, which resulted as follows: Sherwood Landis, president; Harry Smith, vice president; Dorothy Patterson, secretary; Eleanor Shelley, treasurer; Donald Shelley, class historian.

A committee of three, Rodney Billett, chairman; Georgianna Ensminger and Okal Shenberger, was appointed for the selection of class colors. After hearing the suggestions of this committee, the class chose the purple and gold as their permanent colors.

—Sherwood Landis.

# 300 Delegates Expected Here For York-Adams Convention Of P.S.P.A. On November 12

Local Journalists to Condu
Departmental Discussions
Wilson Building

NEW MEMBERS ADMIT

Joseph T. Murphy, C. S.
Sought for
Conventi

NTION PROGRAM

## Senior D.A.R. Essays

Robert Everhart to Supervise
Senior Contest Compositions
After Vacation

Written As English Project

## SENIOR BAZAAR
MAY 14, 1937
7:30 P.M.
WILSON BUILDING

## Students Favor Roosevelt In Poll; Also Approve New School Building

## Team Fa In Re

TOO MANY HOSSES
SENIOR CLASS PLAY 1937
NORTH YORK HIGH SCHOOL
FRI. & SAT. EVGS. DEC. 4 & 5, 1936
PLAYGROUND AUDITORIUM
8:00 P. M.
ADMISSION - - 25 CENTS

## The Street Called Sham
A COMEDY IN THREE ACTS
By EMILY JEWEL
Presented by
CLASS 1938
School

## Results of 'Favorites Poll' Show Students' Preference For Ice Cream, Robert Taylor, 'Ramona' and California

## Frolic Tonight At Playground Attracts Many

## Red Lion Five Downs Varsity In Close Battle

## Dr. Samuel W. Grafflin to Address Bi-Monthly Student Assembly Today

## Publication Enters Nation-wide Contest

## Student Courtmen Down Faculty Five

Varsity Gains Substantial Lead During First Half to Win
Close Tilt by 29-27 Score

## High School Students Go 'Hollywood' For Amateur Movies At Playground

By Dorothy Patterson

FROLIC
Playground Auditorium
Wed., Nov. 25, 1936, 8:30 P. M.
Admission - - - 25 cents

## Academy Head To Speak Here At Graduation

Dr. F. B. Edwards, Headm
of Mercersburg, to A
Seniors June 8

## Glen Rock Yields To Varsity Attack

## Art Club Plans Open Meeting

Activity Club to Sponsor Chalk
Talks by Well-Known Artist
April 16

## Girls' Club Packs Basket For Needy

## Adviser Names Sparkler Staff For This Year

Rosella Sauerwald Appointed
Editor; Millard Wolfgang
Is Business Manager

## Students Attend First Concert As Guests of York Symphony

## Pupils To Parade For New Building

## Juniors Given Roles In Play For February

Dramatics Director Announces
Characters in Annual Class
Play Production

CAST TO BEGIN PRACTICE

"The Street Called Sham"
Chosen for Presentation
February 26-27

## Students Begin Magazine Sale

Representative Opens Drive
In Afternoon with Speech

CONTRACTS TO BE LET

Editorial Staff Make

## Midyear Dance To Inaugurate Next Semester

Roy Gibbons to Provide Music
for Student Social Function
February 10

MIT STUDENT PROGRAM

osters to Direct Homeroom
Ticket Sales; Athletic Club
o Receive Profits

## Miss Cherryblossom

A Musical Comedy in Three Acts

## GIRL RESERVE DANCE

Saturday, May 15, 1937
PLAYGROUND AUDITORIUM
8:30 P. M.
EDDIE DEBES ORCHESTRA
Ticket - - - 25 Cents

## Language Classes Plan New Project

## N.S.P.A. Rates School Paper All-American

Score Book Displays Perfect
Rating for Sports; Excels in
Typography

ATTAIN ALL CSPA HONORS

Paper Judged With 59 Others
in University of Minnesota
Contest

## North York Girls Defeat Delta High

## Seniors Plan For Class Day

## First Ping-Pong Games Are Played In Tournament Sponsored by 'News'

Rules Are Announced

## Flowers Exhibited By Girl Reserves

Elect New Officers
Meeting; Programs

ACTIVITIES

# The Sparkler

## The Staff

**Editor-in-Chief**
Rosella Sauerwald, '37

**Business Manager**
Millard Wolfgang, '37

### Editorial Department

**Associate Editors**
Anna Sprenkle, '37 Elsie Zuse, '37

**Assistant Editors**
Cleo Pfaltzgraff, '37 Ruth Bair, '37 June Strine, '37 Annabelle Hoover, '37
Madelyn Sipe, '37 Isabel Brehm, '37 Phyllis Lehr, '37
Doretha Kinports, '37

**Reporters**
Mary Olive Shaull, '38 Evelyn Throne, '39 Sherwood Landis, '40

**Artist**
Ruth Bahn, '39

**Adviser**
Dean B. Armold

### Business Department

**Associate Business Manager**
James Rishel, '37

**Business Assistants**
Mildred Herman, '37 Lydia Jordan, '37 Edna Hoffman, '37
Romaine Hoffman, '37 Marie Spangler, '37 Ethel Bear, '37

# The Sparkler

## The North York School News

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### EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT

Kathryn Swartz, Editor-in-chief
Mary Olive Shaull, Managing Editor

Columnists—Evelyn Throne, Anna Sprenkle, Isabel Brehm, Elsie Zuse, Mary Becker.
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Sports Editor—Dwight Kohr.
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Adviser—Dean B. Armold.

### BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

Millard Wolfgang, Business Manager

Circulation Manager—Romaine Hoffman.
Advertising Manager—Vincent Stare.
Business Associates—Harold Snyder, Robert Senft.

## Senior Play

"Too Many Bosses," a three-act comedy by J. C. McCullen, was very successfully presented on December 4 and 5 by the senior class in the playground auditorium. The production of the play was under the direction of R. E. Everhart.

Disputes over building the future home of Fern Lakin and Eric Waterman presented the main action of the play. Many bosses, on the part of both families, added to the complication of the plot. Ramsey Gelder finally, after carrying out a plan that would make the man boss in his house, brings a reconciliation among all.

**Cast of Characters**

| | |
|---|---|
| Fern Lakin, a spoiled young girl | June Strine |
| Monica Lakin, her mother | Phyllis Lehr |
| Gregory Lakin, her father | Harold Snyder |
| Grandpa Lakin, Fern's alert grandfather | Edward Price |
| Vida Lakin, a romantic schoolgirl | Romaine Hoffman |
| Mrs. Waterman, Eric's mother | Elsie Zuse |
| Ramsey Gelder, the wise uncle | Glenn Frantz |
| Josephine Burnett, a friend of Fern | Doretha Kinports |
| Garrett Young, her suitor | Millard Wolfgang |
| Era, the colored maid | Edna Hoffman |

## Junior Play

"The Street Called Sham," a three-act comedy presented by the junior class, was written by Emily Jewel. Under the very efficient supervision of R. E. Everhart, director of dramatics, the play was successfully presented on February 26 and 27 in the playground auditorium. Large audiences received the presentations with great pride and appreciation.

The main action centers about the life of the snobbish and socially ambitious Ray family. Comedy is produced by the rebellion of the daughter, Queen, who threatens to marry a chauffeur, thereby catapulting the Rays into social disgrace.

**Cast of Characters**

| | |
|---|---|
| Mamba Lee, Mrs. Ray's colored maid | Helen Hake |
| Ozark Jackson, Jasper Free's colored chef | Kenneth Geesey |
| Jasper Free, who makes the puppets dance | Clarence Monk |
| Queen Ray, his niece | Mary Olive Shaull |
| Peter Calahan, his chauffeur, a proud Irish lad | Dwight Kohr |
| Mrs. Elaine Ray, Jasper's sister | Kathryn Swartz |
| Rex Ray, her son | Walter March |
| Lord Bellington Ashforth, Queen's suitor | Llewellyn Swartz |
| Nora Calahan, Jasper's housekeeper | Dorothy Hoffman |
| Peggy Calahan, her daughter, the housemaid | Janet Gray |
| Flora Fair, a girl of the Follies | Dora Frantz |

## Operetta

"Miss Cherryblossom," a musical comedy in three acts by May Hewes Dodge and John Wilson Dodge, was presented in the playground auditorium, April 9 and 10. R. E. Everhart, adviser to dramatics, and Marian E. Leib, musical adviser, directed the operetta.

The action of the operetta takes place in Kokemo's tea garden in Tokyo, Japan. It centers around Jack's efforts, by outwitting Togo and Kokemo, to wed Cherry. Upon seeing Cherryblossom, Jack falls in love with her, but her foster father wishes her to marry Togo. Eventually Cherry learns her true identity, comes into her own property, which was used by her father's secretary since his death, marries Jack, and all ends happily.

### Cast of Characters

Cherryblossom, in reality Evelyn Barnes of New York, U. S. A., Annabelle Hoover
Kokemo, proprietor of a tea garden . . . . . Glenn Frantz
John Henry Smith, a New Yorker, visiting Japan . . . Jack Peeling
Henry Foster Jones, Jack's pal . . . . . William Sollenberger
Horace Worthington, a New York stock broker . . . Harold Snyder
James Young, his private secretary . . . . . Walter March
Jessica Vanderpool, Worthington's niece, in love with Henry . Janet Gray
Togo, a Japanese politician of high rank . . . . Edward Price

## Orchestra

**Director**

Marian E. Leib

**Trumpet**

Kathryn Swartz
Glenn Cousler
Max Klinefelter
Forest Landis
Martin Everhart
Jay Grove
Robert Bear

**Guitar**

Clarence Einsig
Thomas Davis

**Drum**

LeRoy Good

**Saxaphone**

Virginia Lehr
Robert Everhart
Philip Botterbush

**Clarinet**

Glenn Charleston

**Violin**

Emil Eyler
Paul Boileau

**Banjo**

Paul Kauffman

**Pianist**

Anna Sprenkle

## Girls' Glee Club

The Girls' Glee Club was reorganized this year under the supervision of Marian E. Leib.

The club was organized in order to entertain in various school activities.

Various public appearances have been made by the club in the operetta, North York business show, Red Lion Track and Field Meet and the school plays.

**Members:** Annabelle Hoover, Janet Gray, Anna Sprenkle, Dorothy Hoffman, Elsie Zuse, June Strine, Virginia Zarfoss, Romaine Hoffman, Ethel Bear, Okal Shenberger, Edna Hoffman, Phyllis Lehr, Mildred Herman, Dora Frantz, Madelyn Sipe, Ruth Winters, Kathryn Swartz, Betty Strine, Marie Spangler, Louise Rittall, Doretha Kinports, Rosalie Chapman, Mary Becker, Pauline Kann, Gladys Heidler, Mary Innerst, Margaret Kohr, Mary E. Dressel, Romaine Corwell, Rosella Sauerwald, Gladys Snyder, Betty Jean Sipe, Jane Price, Charlotte Rishel, Virginia Henry, Ruby Meyers, Erdine Hess, Julia Lehr, Gladys McComas, Janet Pfaltzgraff, Jean Snyder, Cleo Pfaltzgraff, Evelyn Throne, Luella Smith, Edna Rohrbaugh, Mildred Spangler, Helen Charleston, Louise Druck, Lydia Jordan, Ruth Bair, Emma Jeanne Funk, Betty Rutter, Anna Mae Gingerich, Gladys Sauerwald, Janet Dahr, Mary Strickhouser, Norma Bear, Rosella Blanc, Sara Heindel, Edith Smith, Geraldine Goodling, Dorothy Kohr, Isabel Brehm.

## Girl Reserves

| | |
|---|---|
| Romaine Hoffman | President |
| Mildred Herman | Vice-President |
| Marie Spangler | Secretary |
| Mary Olive Shaull | Treasurer |

Under the supervision of Mrs. Gail Cunningham, the Girl Reserves was reorganized on September 16.

The year's activities were as follows: a flower show, September 18; conducted a candy booth at the Business Show; an assembly program, November 6; a theater party, November 3; Mother and Daughter party, December 14; a party for new members at the Y. W. C. A., February 25; collected food for flood sufferers; sang at York County Home; April fool's party, April 2; a dance, May 15; Penny Carnival at the Y. W. C. A.; and entertained the faculty at the Y. W. C. A.

**Members:** Dolores Anstine, Ruth Bahn, Dorothy Baumgardner, Mary Becker, Arlene Blessing, Isabel Boyer, Doris Charleston, Romaine Corwell, Mary Dressel, Louise Druck, Geraldine Ehrhart, Georgianna Ensminger, Ruth Eyler, Janet Fishel, Dora Frantz, Jean Frantz, Anna Mae Gingerich, Helen Hake, De Lores Heilman, Virginia Henry, Mildred Herman, Edna Hoffman, Romaine Hoffman, Myrtle Hoke, Lydia Jordan, Doretha Kinports, Olga Landis, Frances Lehr, Phyllis Lehr, Margaret Lutzinger, Gladys McComas, Ruth Jane Miller, Ruth Mundis, Dorothy Patterson, Jane Price, Madge Rentzel, Louise Rittall, Edna Rohrbaugh, Betty Rutter, Mary Olive Shaull, Eleanor Shelley, Okal Shenberger, Betty Sipe, Madelyn Sipe, Lillian Slick, Ruby Smith, Gladys Snyder, Jean Snyder, Marie Spangler, Dorothy Stambaugh, Grace Stambaugh, Mary Strickhouser, June Strine, Evelyn Throne, Margaret Wallace, Frances Wherley, Jean Wherley, VirginiaZarfoss, Elsie Zuse, Evelyn Drescher, Ruth Brothers, Vivian Shire, Edna Harman, Doris Hildebrand, Ruth Winters, Ruth Hayes.

## Art Club

Ruth Bahn . . . . . President
Clarence Eppley . . . . . Secretary

To increase the ability and opportunities as well as to create an interest among the students who show talent in art, an Art Club has been reorganized under the supervision of Dean B. Armold.

As before, there was an interest in contemporary art. Several visits have been made to the Martin Memorial Library to study and appreciate fine works of scenery and portraits, including those of Michel Angelo, Giotti, Raphael and others. Throughout the year, posters of various kinds and for various occasions have been made.

April 16, at an open meeting, the Art Club presented Raymond H. Bubb, artist-entertainer, who rendered a program which consisted chiefly of colored crayon sketches, trick drawings, cartoons, caricatures, chalk and paint sketches, paper designing, animated rag pictures and sand illustrations.

**Members:** Ruth Bahn, Clarence Eppley, Vivian Heidler, Edna Myers, Anna Poe, Luella Smith, Harry Sprenkle, Christine Snydeman, Llewellyn Swartz, Lavern Warren.

## Booster Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Harold Snyder | President |
| Dwight Smith | Vice-President |
| Herbert Suereth | Secretary-treasurer |

Boosting, the main purpose of the Booster Club, was carried out to the fullest extent this year. Some credit was given to their adviser, C. C. Leber, who told them the advantage of boosting, whether victorious or defeated. Credit must also be given to the spirit shown at all times by the club members.

The club boosted the junior and senior plays, the operetta, and the dances. It gave its fullest support to the news and magazine campaigns, and also the many athletic activities of the year.

Each member of the club paid a small weekly fee as dues. This money was used to go on an outing at the end of the school term.

The motto of the club was: "Boost—don't knock."

**Members:** Grant Bier, Rodney Billet, Harold Boyer, Isabel Boyer, Dorothy Baumgardner, Donald Charleston, Romaine Corwell, Charles Dittenhafer, Mary Dressel, Ruth Fink, Clair Fry, Ernest Gingerich, Nelson Gingerich, Pearson Hinkle, Earl Jacoby, Lydia Jordan, Phyllis Jordan, Roy Krebs, Francis Lehr, Philip Little, Purdon Luchenbaugh, Margaret Lutzinger, Walter March, Jane Price, Walter Ross, Irvin Rupert, Vivian Shire, Lillian Slick, Dwight Smith, Donald Snyder, Harold Snyder, Jay Snyder, Herbert Suereth, Robert Tyson, Shirley Wertz, Millard Wolfgang, Charles Yinger.

## Dramatic Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Doretha Kinports | President |
| Phyllis Lehr | Vice-President |
| Edward Price | Secretary |
| Elsie Zuse | Business and Production Manager |

The Dramatic Club was reorganized in September, 1936. A program of activities which were carried out during the year was planned by the officers. A one-act play was decided upon as the subject of interest for the club.

When this club was first organized, only members of the junior and senior classes were admitted as members. This year students from the sophomore class were admitted as associate members. They will become members next year.

Articles of interest, taken from the "Stage" magazine, were discussed during the meetings, by various members of the group.

Much of the club's interest was centered about writing skits. Four divisions were made among the members. Each group wrote and presented at least one skit.

The officers who served this year were elected at the close of the 1935-36 school term.

**Members:** Phyllis Lehr, Mary O. Shaull, Helen Hake, Sara Heindel, Elsie Zuse, Edward Price, Dora Frantz, Mildred Herman, Ruth Hays, Dorothy Kohr, Gladys McComas, Gladys Hughes, Ethel Bear, Janet Gray, Gladys Sauerwald, Edna Hoffman, Arlene Bentzel, Virginia Henry, Isabel Brehm, Romaine Hoffman, Doretha Kinports.

**Associate members:** Louise Mae Druck, Esther Reynolds, Martha Hoffman, Ethel Chronister, Kathryn Hamme, Julia Lehr, Olga Landis, Betty Sipe, Mildred Spangler, Betty Rutter, Evelyn Hykes, Mary Becker, Evelyn Throne, Edna Harman.

## Handicraft Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Edith Kelbaugh | President |
| Doris Hildebrand | Vice-President |
| Ruby Meyers | Secretary |
| Jean Snyder | Treasurer |

The Handicraft Club was organized November 20 under the supervision of Miss Lecrone.

Although this was the first year of its organization there was splendid cooperation throughout the entire year. The experienced members taught the inexperienced members of the club all sorts of needlework. Knitting, embroidering, crocheting and Italian hemstitching were the chief arts.

The members of the club paid a small bi-weekly fee for a theater party which was held at the end of the year.

The most important project of the club was the making of the crepe paper cherryblossoms which were used in the scenery of the annual operetta.

**Members:** Dolores Anstine, Merle Billet, Rosella Blanc, Arlene Blessing, Doris Charleston, Mildred Clark, Janet Dahr, Ellen Dittenhafer, Ruth Eyler, Janet Fishel, Jean Frantz, Anna Mae Gingerich, Geraldine Goodling, Deloris Heilman, Doris Hildebrand, Mary Innerst, Pauline Kann, Edith Kelbaugh, Bernice Kelbaugh, Ruby Meyers, Ruth Jane Miller, Ruth Mundis, Anna Mummert, Dorothy Patterson, Charlotte Rishel, Edna Rohrbaugh, Okal Shenberger, Ruby Smith, Jean Snyder, Dorothy Stambaugh, Grace Stambaugh, Mary Strickhouser, Betty Strine, Ruth Witmer.

## Library Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Marie Spangler | President |
| June Strine | Vice-President |
| Harriet Smullen | Secretary |
| Evelyn Miller | Assistant Secretary |

The Library Club was reorganized November 13 under the supervision of Miss Burket, faculty adviser. The work completed in this club was: the perfecting of the previous inventory, completing the card files and cataloging of books.

Many subjects of interest were discussed in the meetings of the club. One of the projects was the dressing of dolls to fit characters taken from books.

The librarians chosen for the year were as follows: June Strine, head-librarian; Harriet Smullen, associate head-librarian; assistant librarians: Madelyn Sipe, Annabelle Hoover, Grace Crone, Mary Weaver, Kathryn Swartz, Ruth Brandt, Dorcas Bahn, Evelyn Miller, Emma Jean Funk, Mary Hamme, Hazel Crone, Marie Spangler, Dorothy Hoffman, Gladys McComas, Isabel Brehm, Ruth Bahn.

**Members:** Dorcas Bahn, Marie Spangler, Harriet Smullen, June Strine, Madelyn Sipe, Annabelle Gladfelter, Emma Jean Funk, Grace Crone, Mary Hamme, Mary Weaver, Evelyn Drescher, Frances Wherley, Louise Bentzel, Ruth Brandt, Dorothy Hoffman, Gladys Snyder, Virginia Zarfoss, Evelyn Miller, Annabelle Hoover, Myrtle Hoke, Margaret Kohr, Dorothy Kann, Helen Charleston.

## Mathematics Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Ruth Bair | President |
| Cleo Pfaltzgraff | Vice-President |
| Rosalie Chapman | Secretary |

The Mathematics Club was reorganized in September under the supervision of Mr. C. C. Ruby.

The members of the club have learned many interesting and instructive things this year. For several meetings before Christmas the members were making cubes, cylinders, polygons, cones and stars with which they decorated a Christmas tree. They also made cardboard buildings which were placed under the tree. At other programs there were given readings from the book "Flatland," reports on the lives of great mathematicians, and "Math Puzzles." A skating party, sponsored by the club, was held at the White Rose Arena. It was attended by a large group of students from the high school. The profit received was used for a cut of the Christmas tree, which was placed in the school news.

**Members:** Ruth Bair, Rosalie Chapman, Glenn Frantz, Glenn Meyers, Clec Pfaltzgraff, Ruth Quickel, James Rishel, Rosella Sauerwald, Janet Pfaltzgraff, Billy Bair, Norma Bear, Geraldine Ehrhart, Clyde Eisenhart, Louise Fogle, Fairy Hamme, Dorothy Kann, Charles Reever, Eleanor Shelley, Margaret Wallace, Helena Zumbrun.

## Science Club

| | |
|---|---|
| Clarence Monk | President |
| Granville Kohr | Vice-President |
| Dwight Kohr | Secretary |

During the past year the Science Club, which is under the supervision of Henry A. Mitchell, has used the topic of aviation as its theme. Demonstrations and talks by the various members of the club were given at the bi-weekly meetings. The main project of the year was the building of model airplanes. "Why An Airplane Flies," "Flights of Modern Fliers," and "Model Aircraft" are some of the topics that were discussed.

**Members:** Keith Ruby, LeRoy Good, Sherwood Landis, Herman Shue, Donald Shelley, Robert Eshelman, James Snellbaker, William Sollenberger, Elwood Witmer, Herman Zirkle, William Hartman, Nelson Snyder, Harry Smith, Ivan Gates, Philip Staub, Granville Kohr, Henry Smith, Gordon Doll, Charles Rauhauser, William Poet, Clarence Monk, Joe Stough, Clyde Eisenhart, Vincent Stare, James Rishel, Billy Bair, Robert Boring, Bruce Ruby, Dale Hinkle, Ralph Snyder, Elwood Mundis, Kenneth Geesey, William Gates, Dwight Kohr.

# ATHLETICS

## Varsity Basketball

The varsity basketball team closed a very successful season by winning the majority of its games. The highlight of the season was the defeat of Glen Rock on their home floor. North York was the only team in the league to defeat Glen Rock this year.

**Schedule—First Half**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| November | 24 | North York | 20 | Wrightsville | 27 |
| December | 4 | North York | 22 | Spring Grove | 34 |
| " | 8 | North York | 15 | Glen Rock | 27 |
| " | 11 | North York | 13 | Biglerville | 18 |
| " | 15 | North York | 23 | Fawn Grove | 14 |
| " | 18 | North York | 34 | Delta | 13 |
| " | 22 | North York | 35 | Red Lion | 40 |
| January | 8 | North York | 16 | Dallastown | 26 |
| " | 13 | North York | 22 | Biglerville | 20 |
| " | 15 | North York | 27 | Catholic High | 18 |
| " | 19 | North York | 29 | West York | 18 |

**Second Half**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| January | 22 | North York | 23 | Spring Grove | 18 |
| " | 26 | North York | 22 | Glen Rock | 20 |
| " | 29 | North York | 17 | Fawn Grove | 14 |
| February | 5 | North York | 27 | Delta | 29 |
| " | 12 | North York | 28 | Red Lion | 31 |
| " | 16 | North York | 18 | West York | 17 |
| " | 19 | North York | 26 | Dallastown | 15 |
| " | 23 | North York | 17 | Catholic High | 25 |
| March | 2 | North York | 22 | Wrightsville | 27 |

## Girls' Basketball

The girls' varsity basketball team of 1936-37 completed a successful season with the enviable record of nine victories and three defeats. C. C. Leber coached the team.

The cooperation and team spirit of the girls won most of the games for them. The cleverness which the two forwards, Lydia Jordan and Romaine Corwell, used in handling the ball, gained many points for the team.

However, from the six girls on the varsity, two of them were seniors. Next year's team will have had experience because of the excellent training of the substitutes throughout the season.

**Schedule**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| December | 17 | North York | 20 | Dover | 14 |
| " | 15 | North York | 15 | Biglerville | 27 |
| " | 18 | North York | 36 | Delta | 18 |
| January | 8 | North York | 19 | Y. C. I. | 20 |
| " | 12 | North York | 8 | Biglerville | 35 |
| " | 16 | North York | 45 | York Catholic | 15 |
| " | 19 | North York | 35 | Fairfield | 15 |
| " | 29 | North York | 34 | Dover | 15 |
| February | 5 | North York | 21 | Delta | 14 |
| " | 19 | North York | 26 | Y. C. I. | 16 |
| " | 23 | North York | 9 | York Catholic | 1 |
| March | 11 | North York | 36 | Fairfield | 27 |
| | | Total points scored | 304 | | 217 |

## Freshman Basketball

The Freshman nine, known as the Junior High School team, started the season with a squad composed of veterans. Under the faithful coaching of R. E. Heilman, assisted by C. C. Leber, the team worked hard for the championship.

They played against Junior High School teams, and although they did not come out on top, they held their spirits and sportsmanship high throughout the entire season.

**Members:** Coaches, R. E. Heilman and C. C. Leber, Donald Snyder, LeRoy Good, William Sollenberger, William Gates, Charles Yinger, Tom Doll, Robert Raffensberger, Charles Jordan, Donald Charleston, Raymond Hoffman.

**Schedule**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| December | 8 | North York | 16 | Phineas Davis | 13 |
| January | 5 | North York | 12 | Hannah Penn | 17 |
| " | 19 | North York | 7 | West York | 19 |
| " | 22 | North York | 24 | Mt. Wolf | 19 |
| " | 29 | North York | 16 | Mt. Wolf | 15 |
| February | 2 | North York | 16 | Hannah Penn | 32 |
| " | 5 | North York | 10 | Mt. Rose | 54 |
| " | 8 | North York | 20 | Phineas Davis | 15 |
| " | 12 | North York | 22 | Red Lion | 27 |
| " | 16 | North York | 8 | West York | 11 |
| " | 19 | North York | 19 | Dallastown | 17 |
| | | Total points scored | 170 | | 239 |

## Varsity Baseball

At this printing North York High School's 1937 baseball team is well on its way toward achieving pennant honors in the York County Scholastic League.

With perhaps the outstanding hurling corps in the league at his command, Coach Heilman has engineered victories over New Freedom, Dallastown and Red Lion by the respective scores of 5-0, 8-1, and 17-2. Charleston, Gladfelter and Kerns, all veterans, did the mound duty in these games.

Exhibition games are scheduled with York High School and York Collegiate Institute.

**Members:** Earl Baer, Dwight Smith, Frank Byers, George Glatfelter, Russell Witmer, Jay Snyder, Harold Snyder, Paul Dittenhafer, John Glatfelter, Howard Kerns, Glenn Charleston, William Gates, Clair Fry, Charles Dittenhafer, Donald Charleston, Robert Heistand, Kenneth Geesey, Paul Everhart, Donald Snyder, Gerald Hess.

**Schedule for 1936 Season**

April 9—North York at New Freedom
April 16—Red Lion at North York
April 23—North York at Dallastown
April 27—York High *at* North York
May 4—North York at Y. C. I.
May 7—Dallastown at North York
May 14—North York at Red Lion
May 18—North York at York High
May 19—Y. C. I. at North York

## Varsity Track

North York's track and field squad entered two interscholastic meets during the past season. In addition to the county meet at Red Lion, May 8, the Orange and Black cindermen were entered at the Shippensburg State Teachers' College meet on May 1.

At the Penn Relay Carnival, Franklin Field, Philadelphia, on April 24, the mile relay team, Klinefelter, J. Snyder, Little and Frantz ran fourth in the event won by New Rochelle, N. Y. The team also won a dual meet with West York on April 20.

C. C. Leber coached the team.

**Members:** Glenn Frantz, captain; Philip Little, Jay Snyder, Max Klinefelter, Walter March, Howard Kerns, Glenn Meyers, James Rishel, Harold Boyer, Keith Ruby, John Mundis, Dwight Kohr, Hennan Zirkle, Joe Stough, Billy Bair, Preston Keasey, Howard Hershey.

## Girls' Track

Girls' track at North York high school had its usual interested following among the student body this year. Under the tutelage of Coach C. C. Leber one of the better squads in the county was developed.

At the Red Lion Track and Field Meet at Red Lion, on May 8 and 15, the team scored heavily against all opposition. One of the outstanding individual performances was that of Shirley Wertz, who broke the extant record in the basketball throw.

**Members:** Lydia Jordan, Romaine Corwell, Jane Price, Gladys McComas, Phyllis Jordan, Mary Dressel, Janet Pfaltzgraff, Romaine Hoffman, Ruby Meyers, Jean Frantz, Kathryn Swartz, Louise Rittall, Dorothy Hoffman.

# Letter Athletes

**Boys' Basketball**

George Glatfelter
Howard Kerns
Herbert Suereth
Dwight Smith
Philip Little

**Baseball**

Jay Snyder
Howard Kerns
Glenn Charleston
Earl Bear
John Gladfelter
George Glatfelter
Harold Snyder
Russel Witmer
Dwight Smith
Kenneth Geesey

**Girls' Basketball**

Lydia Jordan
Dora Frantz
Marie Spangler
Romaine Corwell
Mary Olive Shaull
Kathryn Swartz

**Boys' Track**

Philip Little
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Dwight Kohr
Jay Snyder

**Girls' Track**

Romaine Corwell
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## SCHOOL CALENDAR

### September

Sept. 9—School opened at 8:30 There were enough freshmen to start an army.

Sept. 11—Freshmen took the annual intelligence test. It was only the beginning for the 'greeners."

Sept. 18—Girl Reserves held a flower exhibition.

Sept. 25—Seniors hiked to Hively's woods. They carried the doggies over hill and dale and then home again, but not in the same way.

Sept. 28—School News campaign was won by the senior class.

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**October**

Oct. 2—First bi-weekly assembly. Attorney Horace G. Ports spoke on traffic safety.

Oct. 6, 8, 9—No sessions, York County Fair.

Oct. 16—Sophomore bazaar at the Wilson building.

Oct. 22, 23 — Vacation — York County Teachers' Institute. Teachers worked; we played.

Oct. 27—End of first six weeks' period.

Oct. 31—Preparation for Hallowe'en pranks.

**November**

Nov. 10—Parade by classes of grade and high schools by which they showed their interest in having a new school. Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the votes were coming!

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Nov. 12—Convention of the P. S. P. A. held at North York High for the first time.

Nov. 25—High School Frolic.

Nov. 25, 26—Thanksgiving vacation.

**December**

Dec. 4, 5—The annual senior play was presented in the playground auditorium.

Dec. 16—Senior skating party at White Rose Arena.

Dec. 17—Freshmen began to prepare almost perfect lessons. Could it be that Santa Claus was coming to town?

Dec. 22—"Math" Club erected a Christmas tree. Well, bless their believing little hearts.


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Dec. 24—No school, Christmas vacation.

**January**

Jan. 5—Pupils began to break their New Year's resolutions.

Jan. 27, 28, 29—Semester examinations. Cramming and notes helped some pupils.

Jan. 29—First semester ended. Pupils recuperate for the next semester.

**February**

Feb. 2—The big attraction—Faculty—Varsity game. We won 29-27!

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Feb. 10—Mid-year dance.

Feb. 12—Assembly in honor of Lincoln.

Feb. 22—Dr. R. W. Schlosser, of Elizabethtown College, addressed seniors.

**March**

Mar. 3—Roller-skating party sponsored by the "Math" Club.

Mar. 5—Boys cleaned their white shoes.

Mar. 12—Swimming party of seniors at the Y. M. C. A.

Mar. 25-30—Easter vacation. Lower classmen expected to come back better "eggs."


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**April**

April 1—Pupils practiced their April Fool jokes.

April 2—Girl Reserves' April Fool party.

April 8—Movie at playground auditorium. North York went "Hollywood" for an afternoon.

April 9, 10—Annual High School Operetta.

April 14—Beauty demonstration at Girl Reserve meeting. Unavoidably adjourned on the second wave!

April 16—Chalk talk by Raymond Bubb. An artist for the class of '40 was discovered.


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**May**

May 14—Seniors held annual bazaar.

May 8—Famous Red Lion track and field meet.

May 21, 24, 25—Final examinations for seniors.

May 31—No sessions, Memorial day.

**June**

June 1, 2, 3—General final examinations.

June 6—Baccalaureate Service at St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

June 7—Class Day exercises.

June 8—Commencement exercises.

June 9—School closed. Vale!

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Alice: Nonsense, there's plenty of room. The seniors left yesterday.

Mad Hatter: Well, now that you're down, hand me the milk. When the seniors left, they took all the cream.

March Hare: Your hair needs cutting.

Alice: Who do you think I am, Isabel Brehm?

Mad Hatter: Wake up and Live —I mean wake up the Dormouse and send him to the store for some more pretzels.

March Hare: Why bother sending him to the store, send him to Rosella Sauerwald.

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Mad Hatter: It isn't polite to read in company. Turn on the radio, Dormouse.

March Hare: The only thing you hear nowadays is that Quivering Quartet featuring Anna Sprenkle at the piano, Glenn Charleston at the clarinet, Philip Staub at the drum and Annabelle Hoover at the voice.

Dormouse: Please don't turn that quartet on, my blood pressure is too low now.

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Mad Hatter: I didn't like it.

Alice: Well, who asked you for your opinion?

Mad Hatter: Mr. Everhart.

Alice: That makes it different.

Mad Hatter: Very.

March Hare: Aren't you ever going home?

Dormouse: For goodness sakes,

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